Village of Malcolm

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Malcolm Residential Letter

Website – Village of Malcolm has a new website – www.Malcolm.ne.gov our website gives you the capability to view the Village codes, applications, permits, Comprehensive Plan, Blighting Study, history of Malcolm, minutes, agendas for the Planning Commission as well as the Village Board meetings and a lot more in the comfort of your home.

Malcolm Clean-up day – Is scheduled for <u>April 28, 2018</u> – The Village will be providing dumpsters in front of the Maintenance Building at 300 South Exeter Street from 8 a.m. till 5 p.m. on that <u>Saturday Only</u>. <u>Prohibited items include:</u> paint, chemicals, antifreeze, insecticides, batteries and oil. We <u>will</u> accept branches and brush, but <u>NO</u> grass clippings. <u>Please DO NOT place ANYTHING in the dumpsters before the dumpsters are marked at 7:45 a.m. on <u>Saturday the 28th.</u> The Village can save a lot of money on the rental and dumping of the dumpsters if we can keep certain items divided.</u>

There are a lot of piles of tree branches around the Village; this would be an awesome time to get rid of those piles free of charge!! Please refer to the Village Code Chapter 6-412 and 6-413 for removal of weeds, worthless vegetation and tree branches on our website.

The Village Board has been providing this service for several years, it is the perfect way to clean up your yards or clean out your homes and garages at NO EXPENSE TO YOU!!! Let's <u>all</u> take pride in our community by keeping it clean and free from litter, junk, and other eyesores.

Building Permits –All residents living within the Village Limits and/or within the one mile radius of Malcolm are required to apply for a building permit through the Village Office for your projects. Applications as well as the Code which tells what projects need building permits are found in Chapter 9 of the code book and can be found on the website. For further questions, please feel free to contact the Village Office at (402) 796-2250.

Dog renewal licensing application – Renewal Licenses for your dogs are due by <u>June 15th, 2018</u>. A renewal application is enclosed, if you have a dog(s) they <u>are required</u> to be licensed through the Village Office. A non-returnable copy of a certificate with the current rabies vaccination date(s) needs to be submitted with the renewal application.

A copy of the Village's dog code is located on our website, Chapter 6 which states:

Dog tags must be worn at all times:

All dogs must be on a leash at all times unless in an enclosed area;

Barking, howling or yelping continuously prohibited and;

It's owner's responsibility to clean up after their dog(s).

<u>Cross-Connection – Back Flow prevention pamphlets:</u> Under the State Health Regulations, public water suppliers are required to send the enclosed pamphlets at least once a year, regarding cross connection and back flow prevention. If you have any questions, please contact the Village Clerk.

2017 Annual Water Quality Report: A copy of the 2017 Annual Water Quality Report from the Department of Health & Human Services is posted at the Village Hall, Post Office and Fire & Rescue Building in Malcolm for your review. This report is intended to provide you with important information about your drinking water and the efforts made by the Village of Malcolm water system to provide safe

drinking water. If you would like a copy for your files, please contact the Village Clerk or go to www.Malcolm.ne.gov.

Malcolm Recycling Center – Pick up after yourself, and please, close and lock the lids if you use the top of the containers to dispose of your recyclables, the wind blows the lids open and blows the paper and cardboard all over the park. The recycling center is a convenience so can be removed if the center continues to be abused.

Starting April 1, 2018 clean and dry corrugated cardboard will not be accepted at the landfill, it will be accepted at the recycling center. The Village is trying to get bigger cardboard containers to be prepared for the larger amounts of cardboard. Please break down your boxes so that we can get as much cardboard into the containers as possible. Do not leave your cardboard on the outside of the containers if they are full, please come back at a later date.

Malcolm Auto Show & Antique Tractor – August 19, 2018 from 10:30 - 3:30; it's a perfect day to bring your family and friends and spend the day in the park. The concession stand opens at 10:30 a.m. with delicious hamburgers, pork sandwiches, polish dogs, hot dogs and much more, and the number of cars, trucks, motorcycles and tractors that show up for the show is incredible – not miss out.

Flushing Fire Hydrants – The Village will be flushing fire hydrants soon, we will place signs on Malcolm Road notifying you and giving you a days' notice as to when they will be flushed, so please watch for the signs. Historically this has caused brown water to temporarily appear in the water lines as sediment gets disturbed. If you notice any discoloration, please let your faucets run for a while, especially before doing laundry, and it should clear up. If not, please give us a call.

Village Board meetings as well as the Planning Commission meetings are opened to the public, your input is very important to the continued growth and everyday concerns of the Village. The Board cannot help with any problems that might arise within the Village unless you bring the problems or concerns to the Board. The Village Board meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month, beginning at 7:00 p.m. The Malcolm Planning Commission meetings are held on the last Wednesday of each month, beginning at 7:00 p.m.

The Malcolm Village Board